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Hurrah for Arkansas, 80,000 democratic.

Say, you fellows that were blowing about Vermont, have you heard the news from Arkansas?

Editorially the Globe-Democrat says the "republicans are neither idle nor confident."

Gen. Palmer was perfectly willing to accept populist votes when a candidate for U. S. senator.

When offered the nomination for a third term by the Indianapolis convention Grover said Nit.

The gold bug democrats who have taken up Col. Breckinridge should pay off the Pollard judgement before re-instating him into society.

Arkansas settles the question so far as the solid south is concerned. In November she will present one unbroken front for Bryan and Sewall.

Mark Hanna has decided to put \$75,000 corruption money into Missouri. It is given out that Filley will not be allowed to use a dollar of the gift.

If McKinley is elected the English syndicate will rob the treasury in sixty days after he is inaugurated and then make a demand for more bonds.

It is becoming plainer every day that the republican party was at its worst in the way of blundering when it adopted the gold standard in its platform at St. Louis.

It is given out that the republicans have employed Bourke Cockran, of New York, whom they recently paid \$5,000 to answer Bryan, to make speeches at Cleveland, Indianapolis and St. Louis.

The gold democrats at Indianapolis made a wise selection in their nominee for president. Gen. Palmer's record as a bolter is unsurpassed by any man of prominence in the United States.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has contributed one hundred thousand dollars to the republican campaign fund. He must have his eye on a foreign mission in case of the election of McKinley.

Hanna and the republican national campaign committee have become so alarmed over the outlook they have decided to put McKinley on the stump. This is an admission that the gold cause is waning.

That expected communication from President Cleveland to the Indianapolis convention failed to materialize. The only word from Mr. Cleveland to the convention was a short telegram declining a nomination.

MAKE YOUR VOTE EFFECTIVE.

One can hardly blame Bro. Atkeson for urging the support of the populist electors, even though he knows that such a course is inimical to the free silver cause, when it is considered that on the perpetuation of the populist party depends his support. But the TIMES is glad to commend the actions of those many patriots in the populist party, who put principle above temporary party success and intend to make their votes effective by voting for the democratic electors. Of course its readers understand that the Union's support of the democratic electors conditioned on the withdrawal of Mr. Sewall's name and the substitution thereof of Watson's is but a subterfuge, and the inevitable result of Mr. Atkeson's course is to assist McKinley and thereby perpetuate the gold standard. Mr. Sewall is as much the nominee of the democratic party as Mr. Bryan, and the national committee has no power to displace either. On the other hand the populist national convention conferred upon its committee plenary power, with the intention of combining all the silver forces on the democratic ticket. This has been done in Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois and Ohio, and the Bryan and Sewall ticket will get the full democratic and populist vote of those states. Surely, even Mr. Atkeson does not expect that in democratic states Mr. Sewall's party will consent to have his name withdrawn and that of another party's candidate substituted. In the republican free silver states of the west only the Bryan and Sewall ticket is being supported in opposition to McKinley and the gold standard. Surely Mr. Atkeson, after a calm dispassionate review of the conditions above suggested, will use more discretion than to propel his cranium against a granite structure.

The dispatches say on account of the recent massacres in Constantinople, England has finally been aroused and has called Turkey to time.

If a voter is earnestly and conscientiously for the free coinage of silver he wants his vote to be effective. A vote for other than the regular democratic electors is a vote for McKinley.

The gold democratic state ticket named at St. Louis refuses to stick, and several of the nominees have withdrawn. The ticket was nominated in the interest of Filley, and no democrat in the state, gold or silver likes a hair in old man Filley's head.

Bryan will speak in New York, Sept. 28 or 29, and will then make a tour through New Jersey, Delaware and New England. At Chicago the other day he expressed himself well pleased with the outlook of his eastern trip.

Mr. Bryan was at his home in Lincoln, Nebraska, Tuesday and received formal notification of his nomination for president by the national silver party was which in convention at St. Louis at the time of the populist national convention.

Vermont went republican last week by an increased majority. There was no issue involved on the money question as both the republican and democratic tickets declared for the gold standard. The free silver democrats refused to vote hence the republican gain.

The democratic state election for Arkansas, held Monday sends to the country greeting a majority of 80,000. There were four tickets in the field, democratic, republican, populist and prohibition. The populist state ticket consisted of only a nominee for governor, and the majority of the populist party ignored their candidate and voted the democratic ticket.

If England would give her consent, then the silver dollar which the Republican candidate for President, in his letter of acceptance, characterized as dishonest and only worth 53 cents would be honest and worth 100 cents. Under McKinley's interpretation the approval of England, and not the independent action of the United States, will add 47 cents to the dollar and rob it of the stain of depudiation.—Post Dispatch.

IT BEATS ALL RECORDS.

Democratic Majority in Arkansas Still Growing.

THE FIGURE IS NOW 80,000.

It is the Greatest Victory in the History of the State.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 8.—The Democracy of Arkansas yesterday achieved the greatest victory in the history of the State. Never before was such an overwhelming majority given any gubernatorial candidate as that which was yesterday given General Dan W. Jones, and never was such a large vote polled in the State.

"It keeps growing," said Chairman Armstrong of the Democratic State committee to night, referring to the size of the Democratic majority. Based on the gains reported thus far the estimation to night is that Jones, Democrat, is elected governor by nearly 80,000 majority over his three opponents. The figures are: Jones, 125,000; Reamell, Republican, 36,000; Files, Populist, 8,000; Miller, Prohibitionist, 1,000. The greatest surprise is the light Populist vote, especially in view of the fact that the vote of the State shows an increase of 3 per cent over two years ago.

The Democratic managers account for the unprecedented gains by the absorption of Populists and free silver Republicans by the Democratic ticket. The greatest gains come from the white counties, in which no charges of fraud are made by the Republicans.

The next legislature, which elects a successor to James K. Jones as United States Senator, will consist of 118 Democrats, 8 Populists and 5 Republicans. Chairman Armstrong is in receipt of congratulatory telegrams from all parts of the Union.

The machinists of New York, the official organ of the international association of machinists, which affiliated the American Federation of Labor, announces that the order is for Bryan and Sewall. The following paragraph is taken from a long editorial condemning the practices of the money power: "It is a very suspicious circumstance that the money power that has heretofore been only too glad to seize every opportunity to exploit labor a now howling prophecy of a startling nature, saying that the condition of the 'dear workmen' will become something unprecedented if they vote as three conventions of the American Federation of Labor, in their wisdom saw fit to advise by resolution that they should do. Why this sudden commiseration for labor? Is it sincere? Not a bit of it. There was the remotest possibility of the present awakening of the people benefiting the wealthy—as the wealthy say it would—not a word would be spoken that would prevent the consummation of what the masses of the people say shall be done."

Bryan at Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 7.—William Jennings Bryan, Democratic nominee for president, delivered a Labor day address to 30,000 people at Sharpshooter's park this afternoon. "The Dignity of Labor," was Mr. Bryan's subject and he stuck closely to his text, no direct reference being made to political questions.

Long before 2:30 p. m., the hour set for the arrival of Mr. Bryan, the park was filled with laboring men. Outside a crowd of unnumbered thousands had gathered, waiting patiently to see the apostle of free silver. Every tree within hearing of the speaker's stand was filled with those seeking an unobstructed view.

Mr. Bryan left the Auditorium Annex shortly before 2 o'clock. Accompanying him in his carriage were Edward Carroll, president of the Building Trades Council, J. Ryan, chairman of the committee on speakers, and J. D. McKinley, chairman of the Carpenter's District Council. Behind them came several carriages containing prominent leaders of organized labor. Mr. Bryan was cheered continuously as he drove rapidly through the streets. As his carriage neared the park the densely packed crowds gathered there set up a roar that lasted for fully ten minutes. Then with a rush the gates were broken down. The police were powerless to control the crowd, and in a short time the park was one dense mass of crushed but still cheering humanity. No one was seriously injured in the jam, though one or two women were removed in a fainting condition.

On the stand was seated Judge McConnell, Judge Prentiss, and a large number of representatives of the trades unions of Chicago. At 2:40 p. m. Mr. Bryan began his speech, being introduced by Edward Carroll, president of the Building Council, in a brief and appropriate address.

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JOHN C. SHEEHAN FOR BRYAN.

The Tammany Leader Disgusted With the Indianapolis Side Show.

New York, Sept. 5.—John C. Sheehan, leader of Tammany hall, has come out positively for the endorsement of Bryan and Sewall and the Chicago platform. What determined him finally, he said, was the action of the Indianapolis convention in declaring for the single gold standard.

"Even the republican convention," he said, "did not go to that extreme. This country has been prosperous under the double standard since the war of independence, but the monopolists and advocates of the gold currency have been gradually stealing from us legislation which enriches them and makes the working classes poorer. We must get back the beneficent legislation of which they robbed us, and we can only get it back by electing Bryan and Sewall and enforcing the principles enunciated at Chicago."

TO FUSE ON ELECTORS.

Missouri Democrats to Make Concessions to the Pops.

St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 8.—The Democratic State central committee by nearly a unanimous vote, decided this afternoon to fuse with the populists. A committee of three, with Chairman Sam Cook at its head was authorized to make all necessary arrangements.

After a thorough discussion of the proposition in all of its details, the members of the committee from the different districts decided that it was only fair to the Populists to give them representation on the electoral ticket in return for a union of all the silver forces for Bryan and Sewall against McKinley and the gold standard.

Commercial Men For Bryan.

Post-Dispatch. There is an organization in St. Louis known as the Bryan and Sewall Commercial Travelers Club, which now has 1,500 members, and is rapidly growing, and we feel confident that at least 85 per cent of the commercial travelers of the South, the West and the Southwest are working for the Democratic ticket, and that a large proportion of them in the Northwest believe the same way.

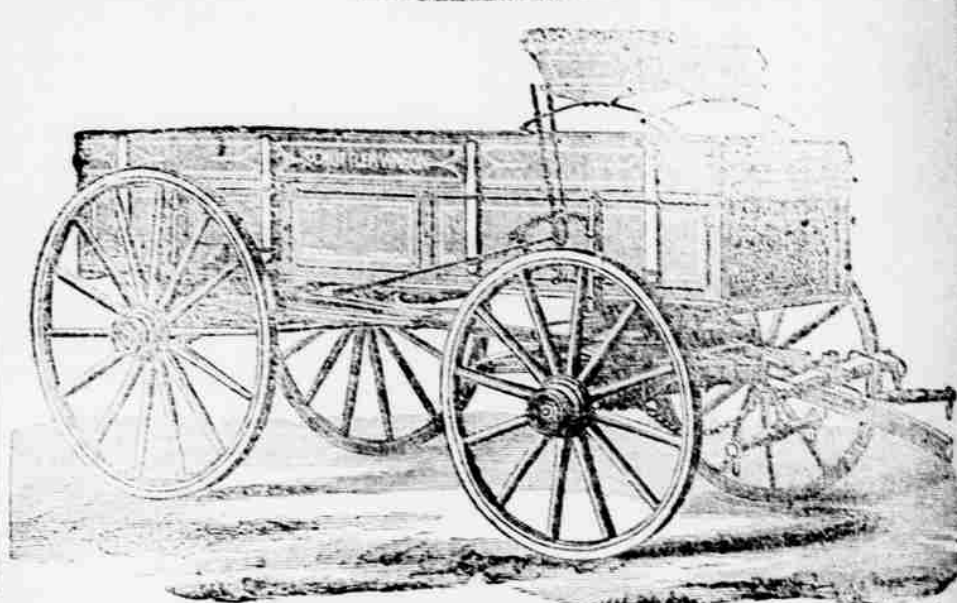


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TRAVELING MEN FOR BRYAN.

A Club With 101 Members Organized at Wichita, Kan.

Wichita, Kan., Sept. 5.—A Bryan and Sewall Traveling Men's club of the Seventh Congressional district was organized here to night. It contains twenty two Republicans, who have never heretofore, it is claimed, voted a Democratic ticket. The officers are: John F. Pevely, president; C. A. Englehart, secretary and treasurer, and George T. Irvin, Gus V. Wells and H. W. Roach, vice presidents. Immediately upon their organization they issued a challenge to the McKinley and Hobart club for two joint debates on the silver question, one to be held in Hutchinson and one in Wichita. The club starts out with 101 members. The club was specially organized as a protest against the statement of President Beach of the McKinley Traveling Men's club to the effect that there is no free silver sentiment among the traveling men of the Seventh district.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss. County of Bates, ss. In the Circuit Court of Bates county, Missouri, in vacation, September 3d, 1906, Adah Fitch and A. C. Fitch, her husband plaintiffs, vs. Louis Jane Danielson and J. A. Danielson her husband, defendants.

Now at this day comes the plaintiffs herein by their attorney, J. W. Suddath, before the undersigned clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, Missouri, in vacation, and file their amended petition and affidavit, alleging among other things, that defendants, Louis Jane Danielson and J. A. Danielson, her husband and Arthur B. Holderman, are not residents of the state of Missouri; whereupon it is ordered by the clerk in vacation that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiffs have commenced a suit against them in this court, alleging that the plaintiffs are the sole owners of and tenants in common in the following described real estate situated in the county of Bates in the state of Missouri, to-wit: The east half of lots one and two (1 and 2) of the northeast quarter of section No. thirty-three (33) of which Gildrey Holderman died seized, and the south half of the southeast quarter of section No. thirty-three (33) of which Gildrey Holderman died seized, and the south half of lots one and two (1 and 2) of the northwest quarter of section No. four and the west half of lots No. one and two (1 & 2) of the northeast quarter of section No. four (4) all in township No. forty (40) of range No. thirty-three (33) of which Sarah Holderman died seized, and entitled to partition of the same and praying that partition of the proceeds arising therefrom, and that unless the said Louis Jane Danielson, J. A. Danielson and Arthur B. Holderman, be and appear at this court at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house in the city of Butler, in said county, on the 10th day of November next, and on or before the third day of said term, if the term shall so long continue, and if not, then on or before the last day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And be it further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the BUTLER WEEKLY TIMES, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Bates county, Mo., for four weeks successively, the first insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the next term of the circuit court.

STEWART ATCHESON, Circuit Clerk. A true copy of the record. Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court of [SEAL] Bates county, this 7th day of September, 1906. STEWART ATCHESON, Circuit Clerk.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein by her attorney before the undersigned clerk of the circuit court of Bates county, in the state of Missouri, in vacation and files her petition and affidavit, stating among other things that the above named defendant, Newton Montgomery, is a not-resident of the state of Missouri. Whereupon it is ordered by the clerk in vacation that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court by petition and affidavit the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the state of Missouri for the delinquent taxes of the year 1901, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$4.17, together with interest, costs, commission and fees, upon the following described tracts of land situated in Bates county, Missouri, to-wit: Thirty-six (36) acres, the west part of the north half of lot two (2) of the northwest quarter of section nineteen (19) in township thirty-nine (39) of range thirty (30), and that unless the said defendant be and appear at the next term of this court to be begun and holden in the city of Butler, Bates county, Missouri, on the first Tuesday after the second Monday in November, 1906, and on or before the third day thereof if the term shall so long continue, and if not then before the end of the term and plead to said petition according to law, the same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered according to the prayer of said petition, and the above described real estate sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered by the clerk aforesaid that a copy hereof be published, in the BUTLER WEEKLY TIMES, a weekly newspaper printed and published in Bates county, Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the next term of said court. A true copy from the record. Witness my hand as clerk aforesaid with the seal of said court hereunto affixed. Done at office in Butler, on this 3d day of September, 1906.

STEWART ATCHESON, Circuit Clerk.



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